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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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For:

SYSTEM AND METHOD OFBOOTSTRAPPING A PUBLIC-KEY

INFRASTRUCTURE FOR SECURE PAYMENT OF GOODS

AND SERVICES USING A MOBILE TERMINAL

Group:

3621

Examiner:

Jalatee Worjloh

## AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116 -- EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -- EXAMINING GROUP 3621

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection of October 15, 2004, the period for reply thereto being extended by three months the attached Petition for Extension of Time to expire April 15, 2005, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

## **Amendments to the Claims**

Remarks are included following the amendments.